THE HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE V.V.S.RAO

WRIT PETITION No.26213 OF 2005

ORDER:

Petitioners 1 to 4 and the fifth petitioner claim to be the owners of lands comprised in Survey Nos.293, 294 and 295 of Ravalkle village, Medchal Mandal in Ranga Reddy District. The petitioners claim that the land was purchased under sale deed dated 15.05.1964 from the original owner and pattadar Sri Mirza Hussain Baig. However, they did not get their names entered in relevant record of rights under the provisions of A.P.Rights in Land and Pattadar Pass Books Act, 1971.

The Government of Andhra Pradesh amended Rule 22(2) of A.P.Rights in Land and Pattadar Pass Books Rules, 1989 permitting the alienees or transferees to file applications on or before 31.12.2005 in respect of the transfer that took place before 31.12.2000. Therefore, they allegedly made an application to the second respondent seeking necessary corrections in the entries of revenue records, in vain. Therefore, they filed the present writ petition.

At the preliminary stage of hearing itself, the learned Assistant Government Pleader for Revenue (General) after getting instructions, submits that the petitioners never made any application to the second respondent. The learned counsel for the petitioners, however, submits that when the petitioners sought to give application to the second respondent, he refused to take the same. This is a question of fact, which cannot be decided in this writ petition. Therefore, the writ petition is disposed of in the following manner.

The petitioners are given liberty to make applications to the second respondent immediately, and as and when such applications are made, the second respondent shall consider their applications and pass appropriate orders in accordance with law.

The writ petition is accordingly disposed of. No costs.

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(V.V.S.RAO,J)

12.12.2005.

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